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DEFINITIVE PLAN APPROVAL APPLICATION SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Submission Requirements: Definitive Plan Approval Applications are evaluated in accordance with Town of Grafton Subdivision Rules & Regulations, the Grafton Zoning By-Law, and the Town of Grafton General By-Laws.

Pre-submission Review – Applicants wishing to discuss or review their application in draft format or prior to formal submission can contact the office to discuss their options. It is highly recommended that you coordinate with staff prior to submission of Application materials.

Submission: All application materials must be presented in a complete packet at the time of submission in order for staff to review and schedule a hearing. All applications must be submitted in person to the Planning Department during regular business hours – Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. No electronic or mail in submissions allowed.

Required Submission Materials:

- 1. Application for Definitive Plan Approval including all attached forms.
- 2. Certificate of Good Standing Located on the Town of Grafton website Planning Department / Applications & Submission Information. This must be completed and signed by the Treasurer / Collector's Office. Please allow for three (3) business days to process each request. Applications will not be accepted without this document.
- 3. Project Description / Narrative.
- **4. Abutter Notification Materials** follow instructions. Form can be found at the Planning Department web page.
- 5. **Waiver Requests** a list of all requested waivers. Please be advised that there is fee per waiver (see fee schedule).
- **6. Fees** see fee schedule on the Town of Grafton website: Planning Department / Applications & Submission Information. Please note that there are several fees associated with this Application.
- 7. Additional Materials as Needed / Required to support the Application.
- **8.** Copies Required –Please contact the office in advance of submission and you will be instructed as to how many copies to submit. This will save you time and money.
 - All materials must be submitted in electronic PDF format either via disk or flash drive.
- 9. Other Materials required by the Grafton Zoning By-Law.
- 10. Other Materials required by the Town of Grafton Subdivision Rules and Regulations.



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APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF A DEFINITIVE PLAN

| Application No | | |
|--|--|--|
| D | OATE: | |
| APPLICANT & PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION | | |
| NAME | PHONE | |
| ADDRESS | | |
| NAME OF PROPERTY OWNER (if different from Applicant) | | |
| Deed recorded in the Worcester District Registry of Deeds Book _ | Page | |
| CONTACT INFORMATION | | |
| NAME | PHONE | |
| ADDRESS | | |
| PROJECT LOCATION: | | |
| STREET AND NUMBER | | |
| ZONING DISTRICT ASSESSOR'S MAP | LOT #(S) | |
| PROJECT/PLAN INFORMATION: | | |
| PLAN TITLE | PLAN DATED: | |
| PREPARED BY (Engineer) | | |
| ADDRESS | PHONE | |
| Said plan has has not evolved from a preliminary plan submand approved (with modifications) disapproved on (date This plan has has not evolved from a Special Permit # and recorded in Worcester District Registry of Deeds - Book | granted on (date) | |
| The undersigned, being the applicant as defined under Chapter 41, Sec shown on the above referenced plan being land bounded as follows: | ction 81-L, for approval of a proposed subdivision | |
| hereby submits said plan as a DEFINITIVE plan in accordance with the Board and makes application to the Board for approval of said plan. T | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | |
| derived from | | |
| by deed dated and recorded in the Worcester District registered in the Registry District of Land Court, Certif | | |
| encumbrances except for the following: | | |
| The undersigned hereby applies for the approval of said DEFINITIVE hereby agrees to abide by the Board's Rules and Regulations. | E plan by the Board, and in furtherance thereof | |
| Applicant's Signature | Date: | |
| Property Owner's Signature (if not Applicant) | Date: | |



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APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF A DEFINITIVE PLAN AREA WITHIN A SUBDIVISION

| NA | AME OF APPLICANT: | | | | |
|----|---|--|--|--|--|
| NA | NAME OF SUBDIVISION: | | | | |
| LC | OCATION OF SUBDIVISION: | | | | |
| AS | SESSOR'S MAPLOT | | | | |
| A. | Total area of original tract shown in this subdivision equals | | | | |
| | (1) Area in lots – Nos. 1, 2, 3, etc., equals | | | | |
| | (2) Area in street ROW's – A, B, C, etc., equals | | | | |
| | (3) Area reserved for parks, bikeways, etc., equals | | | | |
| В. | Total area of subdivision (should equal A above) | | | | |
| | (1) Street A equals | | | | |
| | (2) Street B equals | | | | |
| | (3) Street C equals | | | | |
| C. | C. Total area of street ROW's (should equal A2 above) | | | | |
| D. | All area not included in A1 or A 2 | | | | |
| | Sewer Easements equal | | | | |
| | Drainage Easements equal | | | | |
| | Utility Easements equal | | | | |
| | Other (specify) | | | | |
| | Total (should equal A3) | | | | |



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APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF A DEFINITIVE PLAN

LAND SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE

| | DATE: | | | |
|-----------------------|---|---|--------------------------|--|
| NA | ME OF APPLICANT: | | | |
| | ME OF SUBDIVISION: | | | |
| LO | CATION OF SUBDIVISION: | | | |
| ASS | SESSOR'S MAPLC | OT | | |
| To t | the Planning Board of the Town of C | Grafton: | | |
| I hei Rule loca | es and Regulations Governing the Subdition of boundaries shown on said plan v | vision of Land in Grafton, Ma vere one or more of the follow | <u> </u> | |
| 1. | Deed from | to | | |
| | datedand record | led in the | Registry in | |
| 2. | Book, page | | | |
| 3. | Oral information furnished by: | | | |
| 4. | Actual measurement on the ground | from a starting point estab | olished by: | |
| 5. | Other sources: | | | |
| | (Seal of Land Surveyor) | SignedAddress: | Registered Land Surveyor | |
| | | | | |



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APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF A DEFINITIVE PLAN ENGINEER'S CERTIFICATE

| | | | | DATE: | |
|-------------|----------------------|---|---------------------------|--|---|
| NA | ME OF APPLICA | NT: | | | |
| NA | ME OF SUBDIVIS | SION: | | | |
| LO | CATION OF SUB | DIVISION: | | | |
| | | | | | |
| То | the Planning Board | l of the Town of Gr | afton: | | |
| I he Rul | es and Regulations G | above named plan an loverning the Subdiv | d accompanying data is tr | ue and correct to the accuracy required lassachusetts, and my source of inforn wing: | |
| 6. | Deed from | | to | | |
| | dated | and recorde | ed in the | Registry in | |
| | Book | , page | · | | |
| 7. | Other plans, as fol | lows: | | | |
| | | | | | |
| 8. | Oral information f | urnished by: | | | |
| | | | | | |
| 9. | | ent on the ground | rom a starting point est | ablished by: | |
| | | | | | |
| 10. | Other sources: | | | | |
| | (Seal of Engineer) | | Signed | | |
| | | | Address: | Registered Professional Enginee | r |
| | | | | | |



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APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF A DEFINITIVE PLAN VERIFICATION OF PROPOSED STREET NAMES

This is to be submitted by the applicant to the Planning Board at the time of submission of a Definitive Subdivision Plan. The applicant must secure the Police Chief's comments prior to submittal.

| | DATE: |
|---|---|
| NAME OF APPLICANT: | |
| NAME OF SUBDIVISION: | |
| | |
| ASSESSOR'S MAP LOT | Γ |
| The following is a complete list of all propose | ed street names located within the boundaries of said subdivision |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| Applicant's Signature | Date |
| The above listing of proposed street name(s | s) for the above-named subdivision: |
| are acceptable as submitted | d |
| are not acceptable as subm | nitted |
| Comments | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| Police Chief's Signature | Date |



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PROJECT INFORMATION SUMMARY (PIS)

INSTRUCTION SHEET

| DATE: | | |
|--|--|--|
| NAME OF APPLICANT: | | |
| NAME OF PROJECT: | | |
| This document is designed to assist in determining whether the action proposed may have a significan effect on the environment. Please fill out this form as accurately as possible. Answers to these questions will be considered as part of the application for approval of a subdivision and may be subject to further verification and public review. | | |
| Please submit any additional information to document how any known impacts, whatever the magnitude, will be dealt within the design process. This additional information will help in the review of the PIS, and will reduce time delays by addressing potential impacts early on in the process. | | |
| The Planning Board will, in its review of the application, determine what elements of the ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT must be included in the application for approval of the definitive plan for a proposed subdivision. | | |
| Please complete only those parts applicable to the type of project proposed. Parts I, II, III, IV, VIII mus be filled out by all applicants. Additional PIS information is required based on the type of project submitted. Please indicate the project type(s) below and note the additional sections that must be filled out to complete your application. | | |
| RESIDENTIALPart V: Residential Permits | | |
| BUSINESS Part VI: Business Permits | | |
| INDUSTRIALPart VI: Business Permits, Part VII: Industrial Permits | | |

PART I - GENERAL INFORMATION

| Name of 1 | Project: | | |
|-----------------|--|--|--|
| Name and | d Address of Owner : | Name and Address of Consultant/Engineer: | |
| (Name) | | (Name) | |
| (Street) | | (Street) | |
| (City, Stat | te, Zip) | (City, State, Zip) | |
| Business 1 | Phone # | Business Phone # | |
| Contact P | 'erson: | Phone: | |
| Descrinti | on of Project (Briefly describe type (| of project): | |
| - | , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , | 1 , , | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| A. <u>PRO</u> J | <u>JECT INFORMATION</u> | | |
| 1. | | - Specify: | |
| | | To: | |
| | | # of Units: | |
| | | ype: | |
| | - | Гуре: | |
| | Flexible Development/PUI | D/ Cluster | |
| 2. | Location of Project: | | |
| | a. Address: | | |
| | | arest intersection(s): | |
| | c. Assessor's Map(s) # | , Lot(s)# | |
| 3. | Present Zoning | | |
| 4. | | site: | |
| 5. | | | |
| 6 | | | |
| 4. | Dominant zoning within ¼ mile of Present land use: | | |

PART I - GENERAL INFORMATION - continued **Project Extent** a. Total number of acres in parcel: ______ acres b. Number of acres already developed: ______ acres c. Number of acres to be developed under this application: _____ acres d. Anticipated construction dates - from ______ to _____ e. Anticipated capital expenditure: \$ _____ f. If expansion of existing project : _______ % expansion (total) 7. Total height of tallest proposed structure _____ feet. **B. NATURAL FEATURES OF SITE** 1. Approximate acreage of site by use (NOTE: Land should not be classified in more than one category. Total current acreage = total after completion): After Current Completion Meadow or Brushland _acres _____ acres Forested _____ acres ____acres Active Agriculture _____ acres Idle Agriculture acres Chapter 131 Classified Wetland _____ acres Water Surface Area (ponds, lakes, streams) acres Unvegetated (rock, gravel) __acres Roads, Buildings, Pavement Active Recreation Facility _____ acres Other (specify): acres acres Total: ____acres _____ acres 2. Will disturbed area be in or within 100' of any of the following? (If yes, please specify): YES NO Stream _____ Classification_____ _____ Waterbody _____ ____ Chap. 131 Classified Wetland (#) _____ Woodlands _____ _____ Steep Slopes _____ _____ Agricultural Land ______ _____ Unique Ecological Feature _____ _____ Unique Geological Feature _____ Designated Open Space _____ Designated Sensitive Environmental Area _____ Parkland Recreational Facilities _____ ____ Historic Site Known Archeological Site_____ _____ Unique Archaeological Site_____ Plant or animal species identified as threatened or endangered:

| 3. | Are there any known drainage ways, drainage ditches or seasonal flows of water on or through the site? NO YES (specify on separate sheet) |
|------|--|
| PLAN | NNING CONSIDERATIONS |
| | Is the site served by: a. Sanitary sewer Septic Systems Other b. Drainage c. Public water Wells Other d. Natural Gas e. Other utilities (specify) |
| 2. | Is the site contiguous to any of the following? State Road County Road Town Street (Accepted) Private Road or Drive (Specify) |
| 3. | Is there a property line boundary within 100' of the proposed disturbed area? |
| 4. | Are any of the following within 1000' of the site? School Ambulance Station Library Government or other Public Bldg. Firehouse Cultural Center (Museum, etc.) Utility Facility Cemetery Church High Voltage Electrical Transmission Line Wireless Communications Facility |
| 5. | Will the action result in the preservation of any open space? NO YES Is the site presently used by the community as open space or recreation area? NO YES |
| 6. | Will the project result in any major visual impacts? NO YES |
| 7. | Will the project affect any important views or vistas? NO YES |
| 8. | Special Planning considerations: Is any portion of the site within any of the following? Historic District 500 feet of a state/county road, parkland, or municipal boundary 100 year floodplain as defined by FEMA Flood Ins. Maps |
| 10. | . Has any provision been made for solar or other alternative sources of energy for this project NO YES If YES, specifiy |
| 11. | . Has provision been made for siting the project to make use of natural solar heating or shadir NO YES |
| 12. | . Will this project require the relocation of any other project or facility?NO YES |

PART II - GEOLOGY & HYDROLOGY

| A. | What is the predominant soil type(s) on the project site? | | | | |
|----|--|--|--|--|--|
| B. | What is the depth to bedrock?feet (Information Source:) | | | | |
| C. | Are there any bedrock outcroppings on the site? NO YES | | | | |
| D. | What is the general slope of the land? 0-10% 10-15% 15% or greater | | | | |
| E. | What is the depth to the water table? Feet (Information Source:) | | | | |
| F. | Will surface area of any existing lakes, ponds, streams, or other surface water areas be increased or decreased by the project? NO YES (Specify on separate sheet) | | | | |
| G. | Will any stream channels be modified? NO YES | | | | |
| Н. | What additional percentage of the site will be covered by impervious materials as a result of this project? % more than existing. | | | | |
| I. | Are any mitigation measures being designed into the project to minimize the effects of impervious surfaces on drainage and runoff? NO YES (If YES, please attach a narrative explanation on separate sheet.) | | | | |
| J. | Are there any existing drainage problems on the site, upstream, or downstream? NO YES (If YES, please attach a narrative explanation on a separate sheet.) | | | | |
| K. | How much on-site storage of runoff will be provided? acre-feet | | | | |
| L. | Are Sedimentation ponds to be provided? NO YES | | | | |
| M. | Are retention ponds to be provided? NO YES Temporary Permanent | | | | |
| | Are detention ponds to be provided? NO YES Temporary Permanent | | | | |

PART III - GRADING AND SITE DEVELOPMENT

| A. | | will be removed from the site of the project? cubic yards |
|------|--------------------------------|---|
| | Topsoil | cubic yards |
| | Subsoil. | cubic yards |
| В. | How much natural material Rock | will be brought onto the site of the project? cubic yards |
| | Topsoil | cubic yards |
| | Subsoil. | cubic yards |
| C. | | will be redistributed on the site of the project? cubic yards |
| | Topsoil | cubic yards |
| | Subsoil. | cubic yards |
| E. | | square feet getation? NO YES (specify on separate sheet) |
| | | |
| F. V | Will blasting occur during cor | nstruction? NO YES |
| G. | How will demolition debris | (if any), vegetation waste, and similar materials be disposed of? |
| | | |
| | | |
| H. | Will existing contours be alte | ered by more than 3 feet of: |
| | Cut: NO | YES |
| | Fill: NO | YES |
| I. | What will be the maximum § | gradient of roadways within the project? |
| | What will be the maximum g | gradient of driveways within the project? |
| | What will be the gradient of | roadways within the project? |

PART IV - PERMITS AND/OR APPROVALS REQUIRED

| A (| APPROVAL/S REQUIRED DATE DATE | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| B. Status of Permits and/or Approvals: | | | | | |
| | If YES, specify: | | | | |
| A. | A. Does the project involve any State or Federal funding or financing? NO | | | | |

| AGENCY | APPROVAL/S REQUIRED (TYPE) | DATE SUBMITTED | DATE APPROVED |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Board of Selectmen | | | |
| Planning Board | | | |
| Board of Appeals | | | |
| Regional Agency | | | |
| Board of Health | | | |
| Highway Department | | | |
| Mass. Dept. of Public Health | | | |
| Mass. D.E.P. Sewer Ext. | | | |
| MEPA | | | |
| Other | | | |
| Mass. Highway | | | |
| Other State Agency | | | |
| US Army Corps. Engineers | | | |
| US Environmental Protection Agency | | | |
| Other Federal Agency | | | |
| Other State Agency | | | |
| Other Municipal Agency | | | |
| Regional Agency | | | |

PART V - PERMITS: RESIDENTIAL

| A. | Is p | project to be s | ingle phased | or mult | i-phased | ? | |
|----|------|--|--|------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------|
| В. | If r | f multi-phased project: | | | | | |
| | a. | | | | | | |
| | b. | anticipated date of Phase 1 commencement (including any necessary demolition): | | | | | |
| | c. | approximate date of completion of final phase: | | | | | |
| | d. | Is phase #1 f | financially depend | lent upon subsequen | t phases? NO | | YES |
| C. | Νι | ımber and typ | pe of housing unit | s to be constructed: | | | |
| | | | One Family | Two Family | <u>Multi-Family</u> | Condo or Co-op | · - |
| | Ini | tial | | | | | |
| | Uli | timate | | | | | |
| | | Type of on-s stand raise pack | lard leach field(s) d fill systems age plant | em(s) to be installed: | | | |
| | 2. | If any surfac | e outflow, name o | of stream into which | effluent will be disc | harging: | |
| E. | If p | project involv | es drainage / stor | mwater managemen | t facilities: | | |
| | 1. | Where do sto | orm sewers discha | arge? | | | |
| | 2. | What volum | e of storm water r | runoff is planned for | ? cfs at point | of discharge | |
| F. | 1. | If water sup | ply is from existin | g wells, indicate pun | nping capacity of ex | isting well | gal./min |
| | 2. | If water sup | ply is from new w | ells, what impact car | n be expected on the | e local water table? | |
| G. | То | tal anticipated | d water usage per | day: | ga | allons per day | |
| Н. | Νι | umber of off-s | treet parking spac | ees: | existing, | proposed | |

PART VI - PERMITS: BUSINESS

| A. | Orientation of development: Neighborhood City/Town Regional |
|----|---|
| В. | Estimated employment generated: during construction: During operation: |
| C. | Total gross floor area proposed: sq. ft. |
| D. | Number of off-street parking spaces: existing proposed |
| E. | Is surface or subsurface liquid waste disposal involved? NO YES If YES to #1, type of waste: If surface outflow, name of stream into which the effluent will be discharged: |
| F. | If not on public sanitary sewers, how will liquid wastes be treated? |
| G. | If project involves storm water management facilities: a. Where do storm they discharge? b. What volume of storm water runoff is planned for? cfs at point of discharge. |
| Н. | Maximum vehicular trips generated per hour upon completion of project: |
| I. | If multi-phased project: a. total number of phases anticipated |
| | b. anticipated date of phase 1 commencement (including any necessary demolition): |
| | c. approximate date of completion of final phase |
| | d. Is phase #1 financially dependent upon subsequent phases? NO YES |
| J. | Solid Wastes: a. Where will solid wastes be disposed of? |
| | Name of facility Location |
| | b. Will any wastes not go to a sanitary landfill? NO YES |
| | c. Will compactors be utilized for on-site wastes? NO YES |
| | d. Have provisions been made for on-site storage? NO YES |
| | e. If project involves a take-out food facility, have any provisions been made to restrict carryou trash? NO YES |

| | PART VI - PERMITS: BUSINESS - continued |
|-----|---|
| K. | Will project routinely produce odors (more than 1 hr./day)? NO YES |
| N. | Will project produce noise exceeding the existing local ambient noise levels: |
| | during construction? NO YES |
| | after construction? NO YES |
| O. | Will dust control techniques be employed during or after construction of this project: NOYES (If YES, specify on separate sheet how, what, when) |
| N. | Will the project result in any potential contraventions of any State or Federal air quality standards? NOYES(specify:) |
| O. | Will the project use herbicides? NO YES specify: |
| P. | Will the project use pesticides? NO YES specify: |
| Q. | Will the project be landscaped to provide visual and sound screening? NO YES |
| R. | Has the project been designed for energy efficiency? NO YES |
| | If YES, please specify: |
| | PART VII - INDUSTRIAL |
| Pl€ | ease complete Part VI - Permits: Business, and continue below: |
| A. | Are any liquid (or solid) substances produced as wastes that cannot be adequately treated (or safely disposed of) at a standard municipal sewage treatment plant (or sanitary landfill)? |
| | NO YES |
| | If YES, please specify |
| В. | Are any hazardous toxic materials produced? NO YES |
| | or utilized? NO YES |
| C. | Have any provisions been made to utilize any waste heat produced for productive purposes? NO YES |
| | If YES, please specify |

PART VIII - ADDITIONAL SUBMISSION MATERIALS

Attach any additional information as may be required to clarify your project. If there are/may be any adverse impacts associated with the proposal, please discuss such impacts and the measures which can be taken to mitigate or avoid them.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and accurate to the best of my ability to provide such information.

| Date: | |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Preparer's Name (Please print) | |
| Preparer's Signature | |
| Title: | |
| Company (if applicable): | |
| Representing: | |

